

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Justice C. Rines

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Title: METHOD OF AND SYSTEM FOR ACCOUNTING AND BILLING FOR ROYALTY PAYMENTS AND THE LIKE DUE VENDORS FOR CUSTOMER DOWNLOADING OF DIGITAL RECORDED MEDIA HAVING EMBEDDED DESCRIPTIVE DIGITAL CODE "WATERMARKING", SUCH AS MUSIC RECORDS, MOVIES, SOFTWARE PRODUCTS AND THE LIKE THROUGH THE USE OF ESTABLISHED INTERNET ISP GATEWAY AS A TOLL GATE AND BILLING SERVICE

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AMENDMENT

This paper is in response to the non-final Office Action mailed 23 June 2009 for the application identified above. Reconsideration and further examination of the subject application is requested in light of the following:

- **Amendments to the Claims**, in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper; and
- **Remarks**, beginning on page 6 of this paper.